



# Feeding and watering nursery pigs

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When pigs are growing in the nursery, making sure they have plenty of high quality feed and fresh water at all times is a top priority for our nursery team members.

- ✓ Adjust the feeder so pigs always have the right amount of feed in their troughs that is evenly distributed and most importantly, always readily available
- ✓ The feed needs to be clean, dry and not moldy and the feed stored in the bin is high quality and in good condition as well
- ✓ Keep records of how much feed is in bin so more feed can be ordered before the pigs run out
- ✓ Depending on the size and age of the pigs, waterer height is adjusted, so they can easily drink it
- ✓ The water should flow easily for the pigs and be able to fill a pint jar in 25 to 40 seconds.
- ✓ Water intake by the pigs is evaluated for the season, with pigs consuming approximately a gallon more in the summer